

The Influencing Skills System

Does your team have the influence it needs to succeed?

KNOW YOUR STRENGTHS. FIND YOUR OPPORTUNITIES.

The ability to influence others both within an organization and externally is an essential business skill at all levels and roles. Successfully articulating ideas, creating clear and compelling plans, gaining "buy-in" on a proposed strategy, and building consensus require knowing and using a proven set of influence practices. Quantify and improve your team's skills in this area using PI Worldwide's Influencing Skills system.

MEASURE YOUR SKILLS: Influence Skills Assessment Tool (ISAT)

Applicable for managers and individual contributors at all levels, the Influence Skills Assessment Tool (ISAT) is the foundation of the Influencing Skills system and provides scientific data to help you leverage and improve your team's ability to confidently present ideas, projects and solutions to others and influence their acceptance.

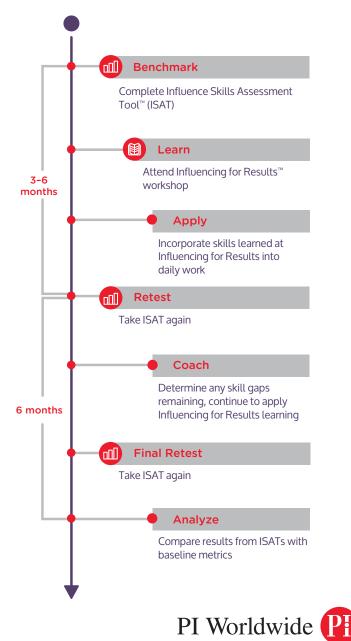
The ISAT measures the five key areas of powerful influence:

- Building trust and credibility
- Understanding the situation and specific needs
- Presenting ideas and articulating their value
- Handling objections and gaining agreement
- Creating long-term relationships with effective positioning

This easy-to-administer online survey examines 25 key aspects of influence clustered into five areas. The ISAT gives participants insight into their influence strengths and growth opportunities to increase their overall effectiveness.

The ISAT provides reporting on an individual, group, and company level giving leaders a clear understanding and analysis of the strengths and opportunities within the organization.

Influencing Skills Development Process



BUILD YOUR SKILLS: Influencing for Results (IFR)

To build influence skills in "selling" your ideas, strategies and capabilities, PI Worldwide offers the Influencing for Results (IFR) course, a proven 1-day workshop for building capabilities in areas such as assessing the needs of the other party, articulating your message in the best way to be heard, dealing with any concerns or resistance, and gaining agreement. Instead of focusing on selling products and services to external customers, the IFR course

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focuses on applying a consultative process of "selling your ideas" to internal and external parties.



Influencing for Results Process OPEN & Credibility POSITION INVESTIGATE Build Long-term Identify the Relationships Motivating Factor

CONFIRM Gain Apply Judgement Agreement

EXPAND YOUR LEADERSHIP IMPACT: Predictive Index[®]

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Coupling the Influencing Skills system with PI Worldwide's Predictive Index (PI®) system strengthens a leader's ability to

create impact with all types of people in the organization. The Predictive Index system provides managers with accurate, actionable data quantifying the unique motivating needs and behavioral drives of each employee and potential employee. When used in conjunction with the Influencing Skills system, it can help you better understand others in your organization and yourself as a leader to build consensus, motivate commitment and change, and extend reach and influence.

PI Worldwide's four-part methodology combines Data, Technology, Knowledge and Expertise to provide the metrics and insights you need to increase and expand the power of influence in your organization. All PI Worldwide solutions are built upon this integrated methodology, which allows you to use predictive data to achieve tangible improvements in business metrics such as productivity, retention, and revenue. These workforce benefits lead to high-performing work environments and create real, competitive advantage.

PI Worldwide Fast Facts

- 8.000 clients in 142 countries
- 45 Member Firms and 400 experienced consultants worldwide
- Assessments in 70 languages, including Braille
- Client renewal rate of 90%

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